

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Hubert BECK et al.

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For: Bellows For Hydraulic, Hydropneumatic, or  
Pneumatic Piston-Cylinder Units

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**AMENDMENT**

SIR:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.